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In re Application of)
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For: SWITCHING VOLTAGE REGULATOR)
CIRCUIT)

DECISION ON REQUEST
FOR SUSPENSION
OF ACTION

This is a decision on the Request for Continued Suspension of Action in Reissue Application in view of Concurrent Litigation, filed on October 6, 1999 and supplemented on July 27, 2000.

The request for suspension is GRANTED to the extent indicated below.

In view of concurrent litigation, and in order to avoid duplication of effort between the two proceedings, action in this reissue application continues to be STAYED until such time as it is evident to the examiner that (1) a stay of the litigation is in effect, (2) the litigation has been terminated, (3) there are no significant overlapping issues between the application and the litigation, or (4) applicant requests that the application be examined. Applicant should keep the Office informed of the continuing status of the litigation.

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